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The Jew Store Is CLOSING OUT THEIR SUMMER GOODS

We have a big stock on hand and are going to sell them at low prices in order to make room for our Fall goods. We have a big stock of Men's Brown Suits.

\$18.00 Suits for \$12.50

\$10.00 Suits for \$7.75

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Tan Shoes and Slippers at cost.

12 1-2c Lawns for 8 1-2c.

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POLITICAL POT. POURRI.

A Recondite Review of Political Events by
"Salmagundi."

The Republicans say that there is no panic. They say that it is all imagination. They have been contending that prices for farm products were good and that there could be no panic while such a condition existed. But they were not truthful in that contention. Steadily and surely the price of cattle and all farm products are going down and in proportion to their fall the prices of the trust made goods are advancing. The factories are shutting down and millions of laborers are being thrown out of employment. Want and hunger stalks abroad in the land and the coming of winter is all that is needed to make this country a veritable hell of hunger and want. Yet the Republicans say that there is no panic.

With all branches of government in their hands they have turned deaf ears to the cry of labor and have listened only to the seductive voice of the trusts—the campaign fund contributing trusts. The wail of widows and the groans of anguished laboring men have not had a hearing at their councils. To the demand of the poor for protection against predatory wealth their answer has been "Tomorrow." Always tomorrow. They would revise the tariff and give relief "tomorrow;" they would enforce the laws against the robbery of trusts "tomorrow;" they would compel the railroads to quit robbing the people "tomorrow." With them tomorrow means when the trusts will give them permission to do so. Body and britches the Republican party belongs to the trusts.

When they made their ticket they knew that to hold the trusts and other predatory interests in line and to show them that they did not mean anything serious by their platform promises, the Republicans put on a candidate for Vice-President—to preside over the Senate—a member of several trusts, a trust lawyer and a man in absolute accord with the trusts. And they expect sensible people to believe that they will give the people relief. Why have they not done so already? They have had the power and the opportunity and have failed to do anything for the people. Why trust them to do anything in the future?

The country is demanding relief from the oppression of the trusts and the "vested interests," and they are not going to trust the task of securing relief to a party that has had the opportunity and refused to take advantage of it, to a party that has made these conditions possible. The Republicans have been recreant to the duty the people imposed upon them and they will not be put in power again. The vampires of predatory wealth will not be suppressed by the friends of the vampires. It is useless to look to the Republicans for relief.

The Farmer's Institute of this county will be held at the court house on Friday and Saturday, August 7 and 8. Many methods of improvement will be vigorously discussed. Don't fail to be present and hear the speakers. The ladies are invited. Admission free.

Fresh bread, cakes and pies baked daily at the Jackson Steam Bakery. Phone 74.

Jett's Creek.

W. K. Terry made a business trip to Athol last week.

Noah Johnson is progressing nicely with his school with an average daily attendance of about forty.

Miss L. D. Johnson, of Lexington and Mrs. Fancy Neely and daughter, of Cannel City, are visiting their parents, Rev. and Mrs. Elisha Johnson.

Miss L. D. Johnson wants to buy a farm in this county somewhere on the L. & E. railway and not over ten miles from a station. Any one having a farm to sell will please send description of the land and price to her at Jett's Creek, Ky.

There will be baptizing at the mouth of Jett's Creek Saturday, August 1, at 2 p. m. and preaching at the school house Sunday at 10 a. m., conducted by Revs. Elisha Johnson and James Johnson. Just a few lines in the interest of the Lord.

John the Baptist came to the river Jordan,

He did not sprinkle one,

But baptized them in the water

In the name of God's own Son.

CHORUS.

Oh, we baptize in the water,
For that is God's command.
The Baptists they are scorned on,
They are scorned on every hand,

Because they preach the gospel

While traveling through the land.

If you want to get religion,
I'll tell you what to do,
Go and join the Baptist church,
For Christ was a Baptist, too.

I hope every member of the Baptist church and a very large number of others will attend both the baptizing and the preaching. Come, sinner, come and hear the word of God.

—SNOWBALL.

The Blue Grass Fair.

The News office is in receipt of a catalogue of the big Blue Grass Fair, which is to be held at Lexington the week of August 10th to 13th, and we have consented to forward to the management of the fair the names of any parties desiring these catalogues who may make application at our office.

The catalogues are among the handsomest from an artistic standpoint ever had by any fair association. The cover design is an exceedingly attractive drawing from the pen of a famous animal artist. It is arranged in panels, showing at the top the four classes of cattle and at the bottom the four classes of horses for which the Blue Grass Fair makes provisions, while on either side are groups of sheep and hogs. The printing is artistically done in colors on the handsomest grade of paper and it is no exaggeration to say that the catalogue presents the most attractive appearance of any catalogue ever issued for a fair. The premium list is well worthy of the exterior appearance. Twenty-five thousand dollars is given by the Blue Grass Fair and divided among the different classes of live stock in such a way as to insure a splendid show.

Every arrangement has also been made for varied and excellent amusement features and the amusement program will be the most entertaining ever had by any fair association in the South.

Altogether, the big Blue Grass Fair, which is the particular pride of the people of Central Kentucky, is this year outdoing itself in every way.

R. S. Crow, local editor of the Beattyville Enterprise, was here on business last week.

Price Hounshell, who has been in the army for the past thirteen years, is home on a three month's furlough.

Gilbert H. Williams and wife, of Stevenson, who have been visiting their son and other relatives in Kansas since last December, returned home Friday.

The Rural School.

The work of the rural teacher has again dawned upon us and we hope to make this year's teaching a greater success than ever before.

Our good editor of The News has so generously agreed to give a column of his paper for the communication of the teachers of our county, that we hope they will avail themselves of this opportunity of becoming better acquainted and more familiar with each other's plans of work.

We realize the great need of a closer union of the teachers of Breathitt county and we know of no better and more sure way of acquiring it than through the columns of our popular county paper. In the way of a suggestion, I will say that it would be profitable to have an article each week in our county paper, stating the chief obstacles of the teacher's work.

I do not mean for the teacher to detail all his troubles, for I fear they would be too many and there would not be sufficient space to print them. For every pain there is an ointment, for every trouble there is a relief and the teachers of the rural schools must unite, hand and heart for their success and the betterment of their profession. The teacher must be the center of attraction for the district. It is up to him to arouse an interest among his trustees, and also the patrons of the district. The latest problem of the rural school is how to educate the patrons of the district for the duty before them. If the father is idle, negligent and careless, the son naturally will possess the same qualities. If the mother is industrious and economical about her home Johnnie and Tommie will never be late for the opening exercises of your school, but will be on time with a cleanly bathed face and a carefully combed head. Every father and mother must be a teacher if the school is what it should be.

I am located this year at the mouth of Meeting House Branch, District 18, and am delighted, so far, with the success of my school. The attendance has grown from forty-six the first day to seventy-five at present, and I am glad to report a pleasant time with them. S. S.

Don't let your wife boil over a stove this hot weather. Fresh bread at the Jackson Steam Bakery. Phone 74.

Drink Wainscott's Pop.

Valued Same as Gold.
B. G. Stewart, a merchant of Cedar View, Miss., says: "I tell my customers when they buy a box of Dr. King's New Life Pill they get the worth of that much gold in weight, if afflicted with constipation, malarial or biliousness." Sold under guarantee at Jackson Drug store. 25c.

We are prepared to fill special orders for all kinds of cakes.

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IN EASTERN KENTUCKY.

Want Live, Energetic Men to Represent Us
in Unoccupied Territory.

Address All Communications to the Company at Beattyville, Kentucky.



Nature and a woman's work combined have produced the grandest remedy for woman's ills that the world has ever known.

In the good old-fashioned days of our grandmothers they relied upon the roots and herbs of the field to cure disease and mitigate suffering.

The Indians on our Western Plains to-day can produce roots and herbs for every ailment, and cure diseases that baffle the most skilled physicians who have spent years in the study of drugs.

From the roots and herbs of the field Lydia E. Pinkham more than thirty years ago gave to the women of the world a remedy for their peculiar ills, more potent and efficacious than any combination of drugs.

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is now recognized as the standard remedy for woman's ills.

Mrs. Bertha Muff, of 515 N.C. St., Louisiana, Mo., writes:

"Complete restoration to health means so much to me that for the sake of my health I am willing to make any sacrifice."

"For twelve years I had been suffering with the worst forms of female ill. During that time I had eleven different physicians without help. No tongue can tell what I suffered, and at times I could hardly walk. About two years ago I wrote Mrs. Pinkham for advice. I followed it, and can truly say that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and Mrs. Pinkham's advice restored health and strength. It is worth mountains of gold to suffering women."

What Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound did for Mrs. Muff, it will do for other suffering women.

We would like to show our superb line of up to date samples of modern printing. We deliver work when promised.

At the meeting of the Democratic National Committee in Chicago last Saturday the following officials were chosen to have charge of the coming campaign: Norman E. Mack, New York, chairman of the National Committee; L. P. Hall, Nebraska, vice chairman; Urey Woodson, Kentucky, secretary; Gov. Charles N. Haskell, Oklahoma, treasurer; John T. Martin, Missouri, sergeant-at-arms. Henry Waterson was named to head the newspaper committee which will handle the publicity problems of the campaign.

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Phone 54. Jackson, Ky.

Notice to Candidates.

Announcements of candidates for office will be charged for as follows:

For a District Office... \$10.00
For a County Office... 5.00

Except a complimentary notice given each candidate at the time he announces all communications boosting candidates will be charged for at 5 cents per line. Such communications will be treated as purely advertising matter for which The News does not assume any responsibility.

Cash must accompany all orders for such advertising.

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

COMMONWEALTH'S ATT'Y.

We are authorized to announce

A. H. STAMPER,
of Campton, as a candidate for Commonwealth's Attorney of this the 23d judicial district, subject to the action of the Democratic party. Election Nov. 3, 1908.

FOR COUNTY CLERK.

I take this means of announcing myself as a candidate for County Court Clerk of Breathitt County, subject to the action of the Democratic party. If elected I shall, regardless of party affiliations, be your most obedient servant.

ALFRED RUSSELL.

To the Voters of Breathitt Co.:

I am a candidate for the office of County Court Clerk, to be voted for at the November election, 1909.

GEO. W. NOBLE.

FOR SHERIFF.

We are authorized to announce

ROBERT DEATON,
of Crockettsville, as a candidate for Sheriff of Breathitt county, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

FOR JAILER.

We are authorized to announce

WESLEY TURNER, JR.,
as a candidate for Jailer of Breathitt county, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

We are authorized to announce

MIKE ROBINSON
as a candidate for jailer of Breathitt county, subject to the action of the Republican party.

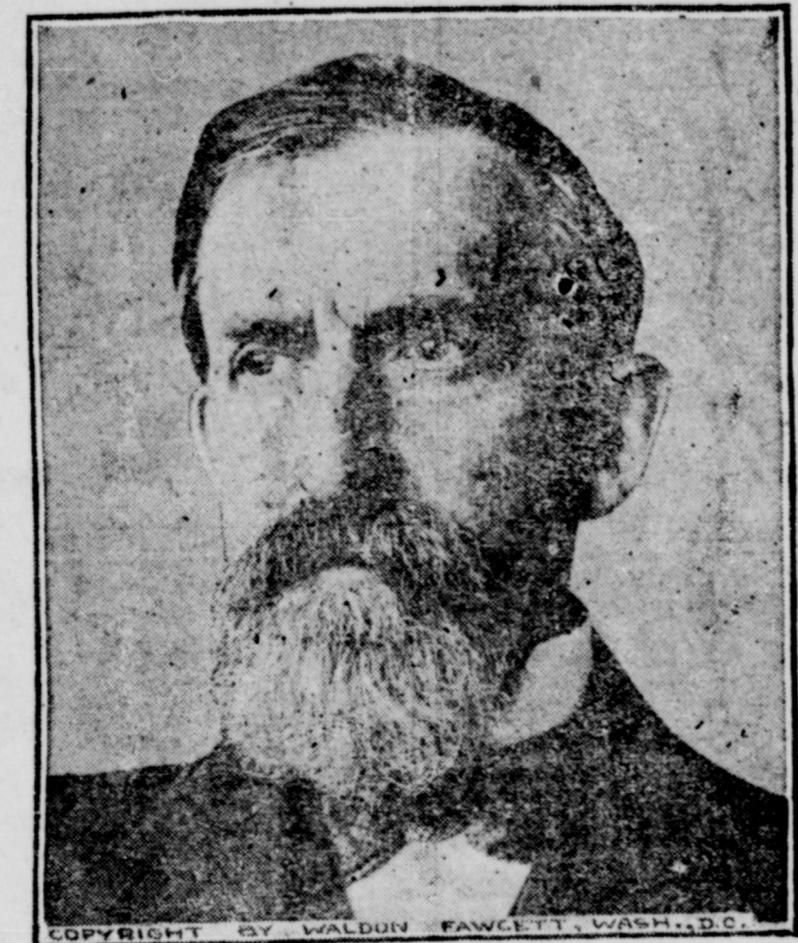
Simpson.

Miss Pearl Troy was visiting at Mrs. Hampton's from Saturday till Tuesday... Miss Edna Williams, teacher at Morg went to Jackson Saturday, returning Sunday... W. L. Welch, traveling salesman for Paris Milling Co., was in our midst Monday... Jno. Hollon, who was run over by a car hand car several days ago, is able to be out again... Taylor Hurst and E. C. Kash went to uncle Jim Cope's Tuesday to discuss matrimony with the opposite sex. Morg was represented.

Capt. Wm. L. Hurst, of Camp-
ton, was attending court here this
week.

John W. Kern of Indiana

Bryan's Running Mate One of Democracy's Most Valiant
Champions—A Man of High Ideals and Sterling Worth.
Excellent Campaigner—A Stump Speaker.
Second to None in the Hoosier State.



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Quicksand.

will be given on each Friday af-
ternoon.

Crockettsville.

Willie Bowling is on the sick
list.

Josh Aikeman, of Chavies, was
here Saturday.

Lacy, the little daughter of
Granville Turner, is very sick.

John Morris, of Jackson, is vis-
iting relatives and friends here.

Miss Eliza Bowling attended
church at Turkey creek Sunday.

James Riley and wife were vis-
iting here Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Nancy Combs spent Friday
night at the home of Ed Callahan.

Master Harry Belcher spent
Thursday night with his uncle,
Benny Turner.

Wilson Callahan was the guest of
his sister, Mrs. Lillie Gross, at
Buckhorn Monday.

G. B. Callahan has been visiting
his sister, Mrs. Nannie Rose,
at Eversole, Owsley county, for
the past week.

Mrs. Lucy Combs, who has
been sick for some time, is now at
Booneville where Dr. Cook is
treating her case.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Stamper
were the guests of the latter's
parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry
Sebastian, at Canoe, Saturday.

William Belcher, of Shoulder
Blade, who has been visiting his
brother, L. C. Bowling and family
the past week, returned home

Married, at the home of the
bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs.
Elijah Sebastian, on Thursday,
July 23, James Herald of Crock-
ettsville, and Miss Ellen Sebastian
of Turkey Creek, Rev. Granville
Hounshell, officiating. On Friday,
at the home of the groom's
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people were present and all par-
took of a bountiful dinner, after
which a dance was given by Mr.
and Mrs. Walter Turner in honor
of the young couple.

ELIZABETH.

Crops are looking fine in this
vicinity.

Linville Miller is preparing to
build a dwelling house.

If not providentially hindered,
on the fourth Saturday and Sun-
day in October John H. Combs,
Elias Mullins and Jasper Arro-
wood will meet the people on Ca-
noe fork, near the church house.

Revs. Elias Mullins, John H.
Combs and James Nease visited
Turkey Creek church recently and
were joined by a large audience
of seemingly interested people and
their generosity and kindness

seemed to be extreme toward the
visitors. They extended them the

welcome hand to come again.

The people of this vicinity are
mourning over the death of Paddy
Napier, for he was kind and gen-
erous hearted and a business man,
and useful in the country, there-
fore they are sorry to lose him.
The little son of John H. Combs
said he wanted to go and view the
remains when he heard he was
dead. He said there is now no
one to give him candy and that he
had lost a good friend. We hope
we will see him again on some
sweet shore and bright clime where
his and our troubles will all be
over, where we can give him the
welcome hand of a happy meeting.

Clemons.

Joe Lovely, of Rousseau, was
here Sunday.

Elijah Clemons was at Riley
Row's Sunday.

Ell Stacy, of Decoy, was here
Monday on his way to Jackson.

Lewis Clemons, of Lambrie,
was here Monday.

The people of this district are
taking great interest in the elec-
tion of a school trustee to be
voted for tomorrow.

Sol Nix, the great snake killer,
killed two rattle snakes last week.
One was 4½ feet long and the other
measured 5 feet. He also killed a
copperhead.

George Clemons and Rev. H.
C. Clemons killed a wild hog in
the preacher's corn field a few
days ago. If any owner will come
forward and describe him the
said Clemons will pay the costs.

Send your subscription orders
to The News—not to the Courier-
Journal or Times.

o'clock dinner Tuesday in honor
of Mr. and Mrs. Clifton B. Gross.

Among those present were Misses
Sadie and Florence Taylor and
Mr. English, of Danville, and El-
mer Gabbard, of Booneville.

Notice to Taxpayers.

Town taxes are long past due.
To save expense of levying settle
your taxes at once.

J. L. STIDHAM,
Marshal of Jackson.

THE CAMPAIGN IS ON.

Who Will Be President?

To form your opinions and keep
in touch with the progress of the
campaign, you will need first-class
newspapers. We have made a
special arrangement whereby you
can get the

Daily Courier-Journal... \$1.25
Daily Louisville Times... 1.25
Weekly Courier-Journal... .35
From now until Dec. 1, 1908.

This gives you a live metropoli-
tan paper through the campaign
and the election. Order today,
as subscription will start with is-
sue of day order is received. No
back numbers can be sent. Or
you can have The Breathitt County
News and either of the above dail-
ies until December 1 for only \$1.50.

This special campaign offer is
in effect only during June, July
and August, and no subscription
will be received at the reduced
rate after August 31 under any
circumstances.

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Notice to Democrats.

JACKSON, KY., July 8, 1908.
To the Democrats of the 23rd Ju-
dicial District:

A number of friends have re-
quested me to become a candidate
for the Democratic nomination for
Circuit Judge. Others, knowing
that I would not resort to the
usual methods—the use of money
and whisky—have discouraged
me, saying that it was useless to
seek an office without the use of
such methods; but inasmuch as I
believe that a majority of the peo-
ple are honest and in favor of
what is right, I have made up my
mind that if the Democrats of the
district will give me the nomination
I will accept it, and if elected
will serve the people to the best
of my ability. However, if they
think some other man more avail-
able, I should be pleased to see
him nominated.

Yours for success,

SAMUEL H. PATRICK.

At the same place, and Ambrose Nickell, of near Winchester,
passed through town Monday en
route to Hazel Green.

J. T. Day, Esq., of Hazel Green,
accompanied by his nephew, Jesse
Kash, of the same place, and Ambrose Nickell, of near Winchester,
passed through town Monday en
route to Hazel Green.

The Cashdollar Oil Co. have
contracted with Spencer and Mar-
shall to have an oil well drilled on
the Ward Watson farm on Bear
Pen creek. The drilling will be-
gin within the next few days.

Dock Bush, L. D. Mitchell and

Superintendent Chambers were

arraigned before County Judge G.

T. Center, Saturday, charged with

breaking into the Torrent school

house. Upon investigation by the

county judge, the cases were

promptly dismissed.

Representative Patrick, of Ma-
goffin county, was in town last

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Miss Nancy Sewell is visiting her sister, Mrs. Cain, at Clay City.

John C. M. Day, of Winchester, was attending court here Monday.

Remember next week is our Teachers' Institute—Instructor J. C. Willis.

Read the announcement of the Blue Grass Fair, which appears in another column.

Mrs. Nellie Flannery, of North Dakota, is visiting her mother, Mrs. J. B. Marcus.

Walker Cole has given up his restaurant business on Broadway and moved to Pan Bowl branch.

Rev. Polk South and wife, of Frankfort, were visiting the family of T. P. Cardwell last week.

M. Forbes returned from Buckhorn Wednesday where he had been getting out lumber for C. J. Little's hotel.

The first election of school trustees under the new law will be held Saturday from one to five o'clock p. m.

G. W. Harrison, of Valley View, was here during the week looking after the interest of the Southern Lumber Company.

The nine-year-old son of Huey Terry, of Vest, was killed Tuesday by a horse, which he was riding, falling on him.

Mrs. G. B. Rose and daughter, Mrs. Bowling, of Garrard county, were visiting the family of A. P. Crawford Wednesday.

Mrs. Harriet Westfall and sister, Miss Frances Foster, of Carlisle, are visiting their uncle and aunt, Rev. and Mrs. W. W. Green.

Mrs. Jennie Belle Dixon, who has been visiting the family of Ashford Joseph, returned to her home in Portsmouth, O., Tuesday.

For Sale—Edison Cylinder Photograph Records, slightly used, but good as new, \$3.00 per dozen. Henry S. Barnett, at The News office.

Judge G. W. Fleenor returned last week from Lexington with his son who had been in a hospital there for treatment for spinal trouble.

Capt. W. T. B. South, who has been here for several weeks looking after his business interests, returned to his home at Frankfort the first of the week.

County court was in session Monday and Quarterly court Tuesday Wednesday and Thursday, Judge Taulbee presiding. Quite a lot of business was done.

Howard J. Lindon, son of David Lindon, formerly of Wolfe county, but now of Morrison, Oklahoma, was married to Miss Catherine Leslie McDaniel, on Monday, July 27, at Bandon, Oregon. They will make their home at Marshfield, Oregon.

All farmers should attend the Farmers' Institute, which will be held here August 7th and 8th. The State maintains these institutes at great expense, but we are sorry to say that they have not been patronized as they should have been. Come out and hear what these practical farmers have to say.

William H. Taft was formally notified of his nomination for President of the United States by the Republican party at Cincinnati Tuesday. The exercises were held at the home of the candidate's brother, Charles P. Taft. Senator Warner, of Missouri, Chairman of the nomination committee, made a brief speech, and Judge Taft in reply spoke for an hour. He reaffirmed his belief in the policies of President Roosevelt, and declared that the duty of the next Administration would be to complete the work begun by President Roosevelt.

PROGRAM BREATHITT COUNTY FARMERS' INSTITUTE—AUGUST 7 and 8.

FIRST DAY.—10 A. M.

Meeting called to order by President	G. W. Sewell
Prayer	Rev. W. W. Green
Welcome Address	T. T. Cope
Response and Benefits of Farmers' Institutes	W. T. Kane
Why Should We Preserve Our Timber Interests	W. A. Cope
An Ideal Supply of Fruit for Farmers	M. F. Johnson

DINNER.

1:00 P. M.	
Meeting Called to Order by President	G. W. Sewell
Pastures	W. T. Kane
Good Roads	M. F. Johnson
Manures and Fertilizers	W. A. Cope

SECOND DAY, SATURDAY, AUGUST 8—9:00 A. M.	
Meeting Called to Order by President	G. W. Sewell
Prayer	Rev. C. M. Summers
Shall a Boy Choose Agriculture for an Occupation	W. A. Cope
Sheep Raising in the Mountains	W. T. Kane
Selecting and Testing Seed Corn	M. F. Johnson

DINNER.

Natural Resources	Discussed by the Institute
Address to the Ladies	W. A. Cope
Alfalfa and How to Grow It	W. T. Kane
Possibilities On an Acre in Fruit	M. F. Johnson

Something Doing To-day

Friday, July 31st, is a big day with us. Sun Bros. show will be with us, the chairmen of the Democratic county committees of the 23rd Judicial District will meet in called session at the court house at 1 p. m., and the Greer-Combs wedding will be solemnized at the Baptist church at one o'clock.

Ice Cream Supper.

Members of Alpha Chapter, Eastern Star will serve ice cream and cake at the court house on Tuesday night, August 4th. Lexington cream will be served at 10 cents. We invite everybody to come out and make this supper a success, as it is for a good cause. We especially invite all Masons, their wives and daughters to come and take a hand and help us out.

MRS. J. S. PEMBERTON.

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School Proposition.

A meeting of the citizens of the town of Jackson was held at the court house last Thursday for the purpose of discussing the best methods for the conduct of the public school. The trustees of Lees Institute submitted a proposition to the trustees of School District No. 1 and this proposition was discussed at the meeting. The Lees Institute offers to take the public school for the period of nine months upon a guarantee that the patrons would guarantee the amount of \$1,100 to be collected in tuition fees outside of the town of Jackson. A committee was appointed to confer with the citizens concerning the matter and report at a future meeting.

This arrangement would give the children of the Jackson District No. 1 free tuition for nine months, and the use of the college buildings and grounds, as there is no public school building in the town and no means by which one can be built this year. We believe the proposition is a good one and ought to be accepted.

Much Work—No Pay.

The opponents of the new school laws can hardly say that makes a lot of new officials to draw money from the public treasury. There are lots of new jobs but very few of them have salaries attached. The officers of election serve without pay, the trustees do the same. The clerk gets no money for the many new duties imposed on him and the various educational boards provided serve for love and not money. It is doubtful if in any other instance so complicated a lot of legal machinery is set in motion at so little expense.

Judge S. S. Taulbee has leased the saw mill in South Jackson from S. E. Patton and has added considerable improvements to same and will run it for the purpose of sawing lumber, ties, etc.

Congressman Ben Johnson has

been elected campaign chairman of the Democratic State campaign committee and Robert H. Winn chairman campaign committee.

The per capita for this school year has been fixed at \$3.60, which is the largest by 20 cents that Kentucky has ever paid. It was \$3.40, last year which was more than that of any previous year.

Our story, "The Merry Widow," will be concluded next week. We will then begin another story, which we think is the "best ever." Begin with the first issue and don't miss a copy of the paper.

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Examining the Forests.

J. S. Holmes, of the U. S. Forest Service, arrived in Jackson Sunday morning and left Monday for Hazard and other points in Perry county. Mr. Holmes, together with several assistants, is making a study of the forest conditions of Kentucky. As the eastern part of the State is the most important from a timber standpoint, the mountain counties have been the first to be taken up.

The Cumberland river counties have already been covered which will probably be some time next week. Mr. Holmes and at least one of his assistants intend to take up the work in the upper Kentucky river counties. By riding all over each county, up

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THE MERRY WIDOW



CHAPTER IV.

The Waltz.

"DANCE with me!" repeated Sonia.

The faroff orchestra had struck up a dashing, gay Marsovan air. Impelled by the music and her glance of daring, Danilo sprang forward.

In an instant the two were whirling madly amid the intricacies of a wild Russian dance such as has for countless centuries been performed from Siberia's ice plain to Tartar steppes—a dance of youth, agility, utter abandon.

Yet as they came panting to a halt at the last crackling note of music the *fan de widow* reflected the exhilaration of swift motion and stirring mirth usually evoked. In fact Danilo's brow wore a very perceptible glow. Sonia, too, was downcast. Had her rash experiment failed?

"You didn't enjoy that," said she.

"Not especially," he confessed. "Did you?"

"No. You don't dance as well as you did."

"You've probably grown to prefer French partners," he replied, plucked at the reflection on his dancing.

"From all I hear," she retorted, "you have little right to reprobate me on

the mazes of the dance.

It was a strange, dexterous blend of east and west, of lissom oriental posturing and of gliding, modern waltz steps—the very poetry of motion. Nor from the first note until the last strain of music died away did either dancer's eyes leave the other's.

Love, eager and eternal, was in the gaze of each. Eye said openly to eye

that unhappy clerk.

"Find M. de Jolidon!" he commanded. "Keep your eye on him all the rest of the evening. See if he makes love to the widow and report to me. I have already told Mme. Popoff to sound him on the subject. Among us all we ought to learn something before we're done."

"You'll learn 'something' if you keep on spying," muttered Danilo under his breath as he moved away. "But I'll set a year's income it'll be something that will give you more surprise than pleasure."

Dusk was falling. Above the myriad colored lights that dotted the garden the moon was rising. Along one of the shaded paths leading to the summer house a man and a woman were strolling—Mme. Natalie Popoff and M. de Jolidon.

"And so your worthy husband set you the task of finding out whom I am in love with?" De Jolidon was saying.

"Yes," the ambassador's young wife answered. "He is afraid you will marry the widow."

"Why shouldn't I?" queried De Jolidon jokingly. "You told me to."

"But—but you won't, will you?" she pleaded. "Why don't you look at me? What are you looking at?"

De Jolidon's eye had fallen on the fan where it lay forgotten on the table. "The fan you lost and that your husband pocketed," he said, handing it to her.

"Thank goodness!" Natalie exclaimed, seizing it; then: "Lend me a pencil."

She wrote a sentence on the fan directly beneath the three words he had scribbled the night before at the ball.

"There," she sighed, handing it to him; "keep that as a reminder."

He held the fan up to the light and read:

"A lady went into the summer house with a gentleman."

CHAPTER V.

hour at most she would rejoin her husband with the righteous consciousness in her heart of having dismissed forever the one man besides Popoff who had ever made love to her.

So interested was Natalie in De Jolidon's parting speech that she did not hear the ambassador, just outside, declare excitedly:

"Nish, I'm sure I saw that summer house door close behind a lady's skirt! Let's see who is in there!"

CHAPTER VI.

To the Rescue.

NISH, who had obediently followed De Jolidon and Natalie at Popoff's orders until they had entered the summer house, now wriggled forward in confusion on hearing the ambassador's voice.

"Did you call me, sir?" he asked.

"I most surely did call you, Mr. Nish!" cried Popoff. "And I told you I was certain I saw a lady, or, rather, a lady's skirt, disappearing into that summer house. Who was she?"

"I—I don't know, your excellency," trembly lied Nish.

"You ought to know!" scolded Popoff.

"You were standing nearer the summer house than I was. Didn't you see her at all?"

"Yes, sir—yes, I saw her, if I may say so, but I don't know who she was. I really don't. I—" "Was she alone?"

"No, your excellency, not quite alone. There was, if I may say so—there was a gentleman with her. At least he looked like a gentleman, but I didn't recognize him either."

"Well, well, well!" chuckled the ambassador, seating himself in a garden chair and eying the summer house with delightful interest. "A little flirtation, eh? Come in there to whisper sweet nothing where no one can interrupt 'em. I wonder who they are? Now, I really wonder! Mr. Nish, I would not for the world have you think I am the least bit curious. But—I'll just go in there, for a joke, and watch them come out. In the meantime, Mr. Nish, you might slip around to the rear of the summer house and see if there is another door there. If there is, you might lock it. Understand?"

"Yes, sir, your excellency!" mumbled Nish, stricken Nish, scuttling away among the bushes. The little clerk never paused until he had found Sonia. To her he poured forth the whole story, gazing with wild horror as she broke into a peal of uncontrollable laughter.

Suddenly she grew sober.

"Her husband will never forgive her," she murmured, half to herself.

"He will never understand that it's just a silly, harmless, sentimental talk they're having."

Memories of the ways of jealous Marsovan husbands flashed into her mind. In that primitive fatherland wives had been beaten yes, and murdered—for less. Something must be done, and done quickly."

"Don't worry!" she counseled the terrified Nish. "Say nothing to any one else. I'll get Mme. Popoff out of the scrape if I can."

Before Nish could reply she had disappeared down a path leading to the rear door of the summer house.

Meantime Popoff, his curiosity mastered him had left his seat. Stealing forward on tiptoe, he put his eye to the keyhole of the wicker door.

On the threshold stood De Jolidon and—Sonia!

"What—what does this mean?" gurgled the confused ambassador, "this—that change and—" "You called us to us to come out," returned Sonia calmly. "May I ask what you wanted of us?"

"Sonia!" gasped Danilo. And through the confusion of many excited voices he heard him and thrilled to the note of anguish in his half stifled cry.

"If—if it was you who I am in there with," M. de Jolidon, stammered Popoff, "where is my wife?"

"Here I am, dear," answered Natalie, stepping out of the crowd, with which she had mingled after her hurried exit through the rear door of the summer house. "Here I am! What is the matter?"

"Matter enough!" cried her husband, "I could have sworn I saw you sitting at that arbor with M. de Jolidon."

"My dear!"

Natalie's exclamation was a triumph of shocked propriety.

"He was kissing your hand, I thought," went on the dazed ambassador.

"Come away, sir!" begged Danilo.

The whole situation bursting upon his mind. He caught Popoff's sleeve, and the ambassador shook him off.

"Let me alone!" he whispered. "Can't you see what it all means? It means we've found the lady De Jolidon's in love with, the very woman we've been looking for! And now if she'll just turn her head a little I'll be able to see her face, and then—" "Then you don't know who she is?" queried Danilo.

"No. But I'll—" "Then take my advice and don't try to find out. Let well enough alone. Come away, old chap, and—" "No, no! There; you pulled my head away just as she was turning around. I'd have seen her in another second. They're getting up. Maybe they'll go out by the other door, and then I shan't be able to know who—" "Let me do the looking," suggested Danilo. "If either of us has to play

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